

## The Marietta Daily Leader

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SATURDAY, FEB. 10, 1900.

## Republican City Convention.

To the Republicans of the City of Marietta:

You are called to meet in delegate convention at the Court House on Tuesday, February 13, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices, and for the transaction of any such business that may come before the convention:

One Mayor.  
One City Engineer.  
One City Solicitor.  
One Water Works Trustee.  
Two Cemetery Trustees.

The unit of representation shall be one delegate for each fifteen votes cast for George K. Nash, at the November election, 1899, and one delegate for each fraction of eight.

The primary election will be held on Saturday, February 10, at the usual places of voting, between the hours of 6:30 and 7:30 p. m. (standard time).

The election in each ward shall be conducted by one judge and one secretary to be selected by the Republican voters present at the opening of the primary.

Each delegation must present to the convention proper credentials, duly attested by the presiding judge, and the secretary, together with a list of the names of those voting in the primary.

Upon the basis of representation the delegates are apportioned as follows: 1st Ward, 133 votes—13 delegates. 2d Ward, 247 votes—16 delegates. 3d Ward, 397 votes—26 delegates. 4th Ward, 357 votes—24 delegates. 5th Ward, 195 votes—13 delegates. 6th Ward, 154 votes—10 delegates.

It is also requested that that part of Marietta township lying outside of the city of Marietta, select such delegates as in their wisdom seems best to assist in the proper placing in nomination candidates for one Justice of the Peace and one Township Clerk and one member of the Board of Township Trustees.

Each ward is also requested to vote and select a candidate for one assessor and one member of the City Council. By order of the Committee, R. L. NAY, Chairman. R. A. UNDERWOOD, Secretary.

## Candidates Announcement.

Editor Leader—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of Mayor of the city of Marietta, subject to the decision of the Republican municipal convention to be held Feb. 13th.

W. E. SYKES.

## Primaries tonight.

Above all, be a Republican.

## Nominate good men for Council.

There are a number of substantial men in the field for the nomination for Council.

The office of Assessor is an important one. See that you help nominate the right man.

Republicans all over the city are enthusiastic over the prospects. The cause will win this spring by a big majority.

The people at large demand party responsibility in city affairs. The Republicans are preparing to give the people an opportunity to vote their sentiments and a rousing majority for Republican convention nominees will be the result.

Governor Nash, as was to be expected, has asked the present Board of Penitentiary Managers to step down and out of their places on the 15th of this month, and that body has individually expressed itself as willing so to do by promptly handing in its formal resignation to take effect on the day stated.

Recent events have recalled that General Sir Redvers Buller, until this war, was on terms of warm personal friendship with the Kruger family, and that they were wont to exchange cards of good wishes every Christmas. The friendship dated from 20 years ago, when Buller had a regiment of Boers under his command in the war against the Zulus.—Columbus Dispatch.

## The Primaries.

In response to the call issued by the committee the Republicans of the city will meet at the voting places in their respective wards, between the hours of 6:30 and 7:30 this evening, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican City Convention to be at the Court House next Tuesday evening. The following have been selected by the committee as places of holding the primaries in the wards:

First Ward—Uhl building, Second street.  
Second Ward—Gilman's stable, Greene street.  
Third Ward—City Hall.  
Fourth Ward—Deane's engine house.  
Fifth Ward—Conrad's coal office.  
Sixth Ward—Munsey's barber shop.

Not only are delegates to be chosen to the city convention, but nominations of one assessor and one Councilman are to be made in each ward.

Edmund Clarence Steadman, the banker-poet, has sold his seat on the New York stock exchange and at the age of 67 has retired to devote his remaining years to literature and rest.

Detective John T. Norris expresses it as his opinion that the death of Goebel was encompassed by a friend of Sanford, the man slain by Goebel. Norris also thinks the shot was fired from some place more distant than the capitol building and in support of this, mentions the perfection to which long range rifles have been brought, enabling a man who is a good marksman to hit an object as large as a man at a distance of hundreds of yards.

## Editorial Afterthoughts.

Arthur Sewell is quarantined in California, but whether against smallpox or another Democratic nomination is not stated.

Gen. Buller is reported to be holding his own. This is hardly sufficient—in war times a General, to be successful, should hold more than his own.

Perhaps the Frankfort disturbance will settle the question as to the relative staying qualities possessed by the Kentucky Colonels and the Kentucky Judges.

The British army outnumbers that of the Boers nearly four to one. The trouble is that the majority can't rule in South Africa, any more than they can in Kentucky.

Rev. Dr. Sheldon has presented a music box to the inmates of a Kansas poor house. I think his plan of abolishing the poor houses he should try the accordion.

There would seem to be little need of holding an election in Kentucky when a Governor can be chosen by a steering committee and a physician's certificate.

At present the Western wheat fields have the appearance that they usually attain in April. This is going to be another big year for the American farmer and the American eagle.

Congressman Sibley makes a much better speech from the Republican band wagon than he ever succeeded in doing from the Democratic stump.

Environment is a big thing in politics. Senator Pettigrew made a big mistake when he involved his friend Aguinaldo in a question of veracity with Admiral Dewey. The country cannot forget that the Admiral was raised in a Vermont orchard.

England is already reduced to the extremity of drafting troops for the Transvaal service. The next step, and probably the one the Britons will feel most keenly will be the offer of a sufficient bounty to promote enlistment.—Globe Democrat.

## France and the Transvaal.

A French editor claims that French firms have invested not less than \$300,000,000 in Transvaal mining property, and that the French, German and Dutch interests exceed those of the English. He is of the opinion that the "Boers would be inclined to favor France as against other countries when the war is over." The French are so largely interested in the Transvaal coal mines, which are reported as practically inexhaustible. Consul Covert, of Lyons, says that French stockholders in the Transvaal mines are moving off a combination of German, Dutch and French interests. The foundation of the movement is the belief that if the English are victorious the cost of the war will be taxed upon the mines; that if the fortunes of war incline to the side of the Boers, a heavy tax may be imposed upon outside stockholders, which non-belligerents wish to avoid. It would thus appear that Europeans have a more urgent call for interference in the present war between England and the Transvaal Republic than the United States.—Derrick.

## One Man's Wealth.

Some developments of the stock market for a few days past show almost conclusively that Mr. Rockefeller the head and front of the standard Oil Company, is the richest man in the world. The capital of that company is \$100,000,000, and it sold in the open market within a day or two at \$45. Probably one-half this amount is controlled by Mr. Rockefeller, which would make his holdings worth about \$250,000,000. In the last four months the company has paid in dividends \$130,000,000, and if one-half this amount has gone to Mr. Rockefeller, it adds just that much more to his vast wealth. And, as for the future, or, rather, the present year, rumor says that \$75,000,000 will be distributed in dividends, about one-fourth of which will be paid next week. All of this goes to show that there is such a thing as wealth beyond the dreams of avarice.—Commercial Tribune.

## The Scio Mystery.

A telegram from Scio tonight states that nothing has been discovered to-day that would throw any light on the mysterious nitro glycerine explosion that occurred near that place Monday night, at which time one or two persons were blown to pieces. The tell-tale initials, "C. W. F.," on the watch case or the picture of the young woman on the porcelain button picked up near the scene of the accident, it was hoped, might lead to the identity of at least one of the victims. So far, neither have furnished a clue. The only plausible motive advanced for stealing the deadly explosive was for the purpose of selling it to some shooter, who buys his stock from some of the larger companies; by offering cut rates, he probably thought he would have no trouble in disposing of the stuff.—Pitts. Cor. Oil City Derrick.

## The Politician.

Washington, Feb. 9.—President McKinley, the entire Cabinet, the Justices of the Supreme Court, nearly every member of the Senate and House, Gen. Miles and his staff, and as many persons of prominence as the Church of the Covenant would hold attended the funeral services of the late Gen. Henry W. Lawton, this afternoon. The military escort which followed the remains to Arlington cemetery was the largest seen in Washington at a funeral since the burial of Gen. Phil. Sheridan. In order that the escort might be as imposing as possible, United States troops were brought to Washington from nearly all nearby military stations, and from as far away as Kentucky. Every possible honor was paid to the remains of the brave officer who lost his life in the faraway Philippines. May he rest in peace among his brave comrades who sleep in beautiful Arlington until awakened to answer the roll call of the greatest of all Commanders.

Much of the criticism of the Treaty sent to the Senate this week, by which England waives any right it may have possessed under the Clayton-Bulwer treaty to participate in the construction and control of the Nicaragua Canal, is ridiculous when confronted by the facts in the case. For instance, how could there have been any hoodwinking of this government, since the treaty was prepared by Secretary Hay, under the personal direction and advice of President McKinley, and accepted without change by England? Many of those who first criticized the clause guaranteeing the neutrality of the canal and forbidding the erection of fortifications at its entrances, have changed their minds since it was learned that this clause was inserted because of the intention of the President to negotiate a treaty with all the commercial nations, under which each will guarantee the perpetual neutrality of the canal, thus providing a stronger and more sure protection than would be afforded by the most formidable fortifications it would be possible to construct. Senator Morgan, who is in line with the more progressive men in the Senate in support of the treaty, correctly sized up much of the opposition when he said: "There are some men in the Senate who would propose an amendment to the Ten Commandments if they were sent in here by God Almighty Himself. I do not believe any material amendment to the pending treaty is required to protect our rights in the canal." The treaty is now being carefully considered by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations and will doubtless in due time be favorably reported and ratified.

President McKinley has received many congratulations on his having succeeded in getting so able a man as Judge W. H. Taft, of Ohio, to become the head of the Civil Commission, which will go to the Philippines in a few weeks for the purpose of establishing Civil Local Government throughout the Islands. Judge Taft says he will remain on the Islands for two years, but has no idea of becoming civil governor of them.

Although Senator Butler, of North Carolina, who is chairman of the Populist National Committee, is supposed to be an ally of the Democrats in most of their political schemes, he made a speech against the proposed suffrage amendment to the Constitution of the State that was in line with the attitude of Senator Pritchard, in which he said, after calling attention to the fact that the amendment would disfranchise 60,000 white voters: "This whole scheme is not only fraught with danger, but it is unnecessary. It puts the South in a false and unenviable position to attempt to deal with suffrage in this uncandid manner."

Senator Hoar, who has received as much abuse from southern Democrats as any man now in public life, is a man of too much experience to be deceived by the compliments they are now paying him because he is with them in opposing the expansion policy of President McKinley and the Republican party. He knows his history well enough to be fully aware that is only another case of "The Greeks bearing gifts," and to accept compliments at their real value.

Senator Aldrich stated in a speech, when the Finance Bill was first reported to the Senate, that there was nothing in the bill to prevent a renewal of the attempts on the part of this government to secure international bimetalism at any time there should appear to be any prospect of success, and this week the Finance Committee reported an amendment to the bill, explicitly declaring that the provisions of the bill are not intended to place any obstacles in the way of the accomplishment of international bimetalism, provided the same be received by concurrent action of the leading commercial nations of the world, and at a ratio which shall insure permanence of relative value between gold and silver.

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## Notice To Teachers.

The next regular examination of applicants for certificates to teach in the Marietta city schools will be held at the High School building Saturday, Feb. 17, 1900, beginning at 8 a. m. and closing at 4:30 p. m. central standard time. By order of the Board of City Examiners. GEO. M. PLUMER, Clerk. Sun. Wed. Sat. Wed.

## The Pupils Struck.

There was a case of combined strike and lockout in the Belpre schools yesterday. The way of it was this: The principal of the Belpre educational establishment, several days ago announced his intention of cutting the noon hour fifteen minutes short, with the laudable object of letting out school fifteen minutes earlier in the evening. Day before yesterday, it is said, the cut occurred all right, but the promised reduction of the afternoon hours did not follow as scheduled. This set the scholars to thinking and an organization was perfected which resulted in a well developed strike. So, yesterday when the bell rang to take up after the noon recess, not a scholar responded to the summons. They sat around on the school house steps and refused to come in until the regular time was up. Then, when they tried to get in they found that they were locked out. In short the man with the switch was much put out, so it is reported, and wanted to chastise the whole bunch of refractory pupils, but finally thought the matter over and concluded that he might be in the wrong after all. And the promised rebate on the evening dismissal was accorded and all is now lovely.—Parkersburg News.

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## Charlie Caldwell Won't Run For Congress.

"How is the Congressional race progressing?" was a question propounded to Hon. Chas. T. Caldwell by the State Journal today, and this is what he said:

"I am not a candidate for Congress nor any other office or place, and will not be a candidate. I am right tired of running for Congress and other political offices. A representative in Congress must attend to other people's business, and when I am employed to look after the affairs of others, I expect pay for it."

"There is nothing in the Congressional orchard for me. The old plum tree hasn't a sound limb on it. The plums are all gone, and the old barren tree is full of clubs. Another thing that prevents my running for office is the condition of my runners. They were badly wrecked in 1892, and a fellow can only run with the late improved runners."—Parkersburg Journal.

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## Oil News.

### YESTERDAY'S MARKET

Texas	.....\$1.83
Penn. and West Va.	.....1.68
Burnsville	.....1.68
Corning	.....1.51
New Castle	.....1.43
North Lima	.....1.24
South Lima	.....1.19
Indiana	.....1.19

Quite an excitement has prevailed in Belpre during the past few days by reason of the report that the oil well, which was drilled on the Fullerton farm, above town, was a producer. The well was drilled to the second Cow Run sand and it is said that it produces oil in paying quantities. Here's hoping that the reports are built on oil rather than gas.—Sentinel.

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## C. R. Richardson's Report of Yesterday's Markets.

Oil City Exchange, 3 p. m.—Cash oil unchanged. Credit balance, 1.68. New York Stock Exchange, 3 p. m.—Stocks were dull and weaker with Sugar the leader, breaking to 1.09 1/2, and rallying a point. The Grangers lost half a point and the Pacific a point. Closing prices a shade firmer. Chicago Board of Trade, 1:15 p. m.—Wheat had a set back, selling off all that it gained yesterday. May wheat closed at 69 cents; July 68 1/2. Corn and oats steady. Pork opened strong for May option on a ten cent range from 11.20 to 11.30, but broke to 11.05 and closed at 11.10. Cargos today: Wheat, 33; corn, 67 1/2; oats, 267; hogs, 22,000.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop richness of the skin in any part of the body; Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

## Gold in Guernsey County.

Gold! That for which many have hunted, sweat and bled, has been found in Guernsey county. The "yellow" was discovered in a ledge on the Ford farm, in Willis township, some time ago. About two weeks ago a sample of the ore was procured by James M. Yeo, of this city, and sent to Sheridan, Montana, to be assayed. Yesterday he received a letter from the assayer that the ore assayed one dollar gold and a trace of silver per ton. It is thought that other ledges on this farm contain valuable ore and further development will be made.—Cambridge Sun.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggist.

"Two Married Men," who never went to lodge meeting nor stayed out at night, model husbands in fact, will be seen at the Auditorium Thursday, Feb. 15.

## BOYS' CLOTHING!

The best makes are usually well ticketed so that you may know from whence they came. If you are partial to the "Hopkins" make; see that the suit bears the picture of the woman's head. We are offering SPECIAL REDUCTIONS on Boys' Clothing this month:

Children's Vestee Suits, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00!  
Boys' Short Trouser Suits, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 up!  
School Suits (long trousers) \$3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 5.50 and 6.00 up!  
Youths' Suits, \$4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00 and 7.00 up!

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## "Two Married Men."

One of the greatest successes on the road last season was "Two Married Men" which is booked to appear at the Auditorium next Thursday, Feb. 15. It has been called by the dramatic critics of the larger cities the best farce that was ever written, and so "Two Married Men" will probably be



the best entertainment that will be provided by the local management this winter. It is filled with specialties by high salaried artists, and to miss "Two Married Men" is to miss the best laugh of the season. Seats on sale Saturday morning, at Beagle & Lytle's drug store.

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Colonel Bryan hesitated a moment, seemed lost and laid down his knife and fork. "What is it, Colonel?" anxiously asked his host. "I remember now," he said, "partially recovering myself. 'This is my regular time of day for stating my position on the expansion question. Excuse me a moment, please.' And he went out to the waiting reporters."—Chicago Tribune.

## Constant Coughing

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—OR—

## "THE IRISH SPY."

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Don't fail to see the Grandest of War Dramas, The Andersonville Prison Scene, Beautiful Tableaux, and Flag Drills, supported by the famous Marietta Orchestra.

Have your Seats Reserved at Beagle & Lytle's. Plat opens February 5th. Curtain rises at 8 o'clock sharp.

## Mackburg.

Winland & Morris have sold the Mackburg flouring mills to a local company composed of Longfellow Bros., A. Wiper and Smithson & Son. Consideration, \$2,800. The new company propose to give the mill a general repairing.

In the near future the railroad company will build a fine new depot at Mackburg. It will be built where the freight depot now stands.

George Hartman will soon begin his new residence next to the M. E. parsonage.

Mrs. W. E. Ellison has returned from Beverly, where she was called owing to the serious illness of her mother.

Albert Longfellow has moved into his new residence on Broad street.

Mrs. A. J. Barry and children were visiting in Parkersburg last week.

The village council has passed an ordinance permitting the voters of the corporation to vote next spring on "wet" or "dry."

The diphtheria epidemic is now over and the public schools again have a full attendance. However, there were no deaths from that disease in this village. There were two deaths about a mile from here.

Messrs. Adams and Yerian, of this place, were in Cleveland this week looking after interests in certain sea-going vessels.

Mr. Win. Smith, formerly of this place, returned to his home in Indiana after a visit of several days.

Mr. George Yerian, of Cambridge, is visiting friends here at present.

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